LOCAL NEWS.

WEATHER PR BARTINES, May 1, 1879. For the Middle A lantic States falling followed by rising barometer, northeast to northwest winds, stationary temperatures, partly cloudy weather, occasi nal rain or snow followed by clearing weather.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN .- The Board of Al dermoe held a called meeting last night, all the members being present except Mr. Burroughs. The President stated that the Board had been called together to consider the amendmeats to the compromise debt bill made by the Common Council.

The act as am acded was read in full by the Mr. Moore said that the bill did not entirely

sait him, but as a majority of the members of both Boards seemed to wish its passage as re-

ported, he would interpose no objections. The bill was then passed-ages 7, noes 0. fee resolution instructing the Mayor and julitor as to the issuaces of circulars, &s., to was read and adopted, after which The Board adjourned.

POLICE ITEMS .- The following cases have been tried by the Mayor since yesterday : Virginia Washington and Hannah Washing too, both colored, for stealing two boxes of cravats from C. L. Adams, were sent to juil for

6) d.ys.
Albert Brookes, colored, for disorderly ourduet, was fined and discharged. Obe Jefferson, on suspicion of stealing a watch from Jno. E. Brashear, was locked up

tor further examination. Pat Duffey, for being drunk and disorderly on the street, was fined and discharged. Charles O'Donnell, hailing from Frederick.

Md. for being a vagrant, and pretending to be deaf and dumb, was ordered out of towe. John Bryant, colored, for an assault on Capt. Wm. King, was dismissed, the presecution be-

ioz withdrawo. Spanish Jack, alias John Diaz, for disorderly conduct at the alms bouse, was sent to jail.

MEETING IN THE COUNTY. - A mass meeting was held last night at the colored school house in Ailington District, Alexandria county, to discu-s county affairs, where speeches were made upon the public school question and the means for providing for the maintenance of the schools. The law requiring prepayment of the espitation tax before voting, is these having a salutary effect in furnishing means for their support, the tax so paid being applied to school purposes. As the time for the assembling of conventions to cominate candidates approaches, the aspirants for office are redoubling their efforts to the canvass, and the election promis s to be the most exciting ever held there.

FISH REPORT .- Business at Fishtown today was dult, and the dealers are somewhat despondent at the comparatively small receipts. It is also reported that a number of sturgeon have been caught, which is generally regarded by old fishermen as a sign of the ending of the season. Since yesterday's report there have been received at Fishtown about 3,000 shed. with old at 6a\$71 per hundred, and 100,000 herrings, which brought 7.\$71 per thous and.

THE CITY DEBT .- It is understood that an effort will be made to amend the bill to compromise the city debt, in regard to the provision for the fanding of overdue coupons. It is claimed that the requirement for funding pier. teen twentieths of the coupons before the bill gees into operation, cannot be carried out, and the amount will be reduced to at most three

FRUIT GROWERS .- The May meeting of the Potomac Fruit Gowers' Association will us held at Marshall Hall on Tuesday next, Memfare. An essay on "Apricots" will be delivered by Dr. E. P. Howland.

HEAVY FREIGHTS -The freights on the Virginia Midiand Railroad have increased cor. siderably, of late, and the entire expanity of the road is texed to accommodate the business. Y sterday there were, in addition to the regular trains, four extrafreight trains, all beavily laden

POLITICAL .- A political meeting was held at the corner of Patt and Gibbon streets last night. Speeches in behalf of different candidares were made by R. B. Hopkins and others. The proceedings were enlivened by music from Biden's colored band.

THE ALEXANDRIA CANAL .- The repairs to the Alexandria canal and squeduet have been completed, and it is expected that water will be let in this evening. The entire length of the canal will be ready for usvigation by to morrow evening.

CALLED MEETING. - There is to be a celled meeting of the City Council to night for the purpose of further considering and amending the bill compromising the debt of the city.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Judge Jas. Keith opened the spring term of the Circuit Court for Loudoun on Monday. The City School Board will hold a called meeting to night at 8 o'clock.

Straw hats have been noticed in considerable numbers on the streets during the week, but the cool weather this morning sent them in. Mr. Frederick J. Crissey, an old and werthy

citizen of Leesburg, died on Tuesday night, in the 66th year of his age.

A new design in jewelry, the engagement bracelet, is on exhibition in the window of the store of Mr. R. C. Acton, on King street. It is a very pretty ornament for ladies, and is intend ed to be worn by them during their engagement.

Marriage licenses were granted, in Washing Able, both of Prince William county, Va; John P. Allen and Sallie Hardwick, both of Westmoreland county, Va., and John Wells, of Norfolk, Va., and Mary F. Washington, of Winchester, Va.

SINCE many Alexandrians and Virginians general y will spend their money in Washington and positively pay more for garments than the like can be procured here, I will pay to any person buying from me, his expenses to Wash ington, for examination, to his entire sati-fac tion, and if my Clothing, either in ordinary or tine, according to quality and manufacture, sale by are not the cheapest I will refund the money. S. DEALHAM,

Thomas B. Penton, e.q., of the Equitable Life Insurance Company, 120 Broadway, N.

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62 King st., cor. Fairfax.

1., says : I have had experience, and know Dr. Giles Liniment Iodide Ammonia is the cleanest, picest, and most perfect combination that has ever come before the public. It never soils, is not greasy, is agreeable and pleasurt, at the same time so effectual and beneficial. I have not only used it my elf and family, but have given it to many afflicted with aches, paios and bruises, and all willingly unite in testifying to its wonderful and great merit. THOMAS B. PENTON.

For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro.

For a fine nobby suit of CLOTHING see S. DEALHAM, 62 King st., corner Fairfax.

For one of those or 603 Hats, worth \$1.00 and \$1.50, call at the Bass Clothing House.— These Hats are of fashionable style and are of really good quality. M. BENDHEIM

ap 1 lm SMOKED BLOATERS for sale by dec 6 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

CONGRESSIONAL. Reported for the Alexandria Gazette. WASHINGTON, May 1.

SENATE.

infectious diseases in the U.S.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. By upanimous consent Meeers, Harris, of Va. and Chitten, of N. Y., were allowed to have their vote recorded on the lagislative Appropriation bill--the former to the affirma tive and the latter in the negative. Both of them having been under the impression that they were paired with other members.

The question came up as the unfinished business of yesterday on the postponment till next Saturday of the bill reported from the Coinage Committee amending the statutes relating to esinage and to gold and silver ballion certificates.

The pending question was on ordering the main question ou the resolution postponing the the bondholders as passed by the lower Board, consineration of the bill relating to coinage and certificates and it was ordered-year 115, payes 107. The resolution was then adopted. Mr. Sparks, of Ittinois, called up the order

made yesterday to reconsider the Army Appropriation bill, and after debate, The House refused to pass the bill over th President's veto, the vote standing yeas 120, nays 110-not the necessary two thirds in the affirmative. It was a strictly party vote, only three of the greenbackers voting for the bill and nine against it.

BLECTRIC LIGHT IN THE CAPITOL. -Appropriation having been made by the last Congress for lighting the Capitol building by electricity, the dynamo electric machine, made for this ex- streets, and although the city police and the press purpose by Messre. Arnoux & Hockhau- detectives at once hutried up and tore down ser, of New York, arrived on Friday. This and all the other necessary apparatus is being placed in position as rapidly as possible, and it is expected to be ready for lighting up in two or bills, and in this one night the police arrested three weeks. The system of electric lighting adopted by the Government is that of Messre. Sawyer & Rogers. It is to be applied and put in operation under the personal supervisiou of Mr. Clark, architect of the Capito', and of the Government electriciar. It is under consideration also to carry the electric current to the dome of the building, and by means of several large lamos or jets light up the entire city of Wachington. Washingtor, dispensing with gas all ozether for that purpose in all the streets and public places. This plan is pronounced entirely practicable, and the great height of the dome is a circumstanco peculiary favorable to the undertaking

THE FATAL PRICK OF A PIN.-Mrs. John Weber, wife of a south side grocer, whose place ci' business and residence are on Sarah street, between Twenty sixth and Twenty seventh streets, was lying at the point of death yester The lady had a little sore on her left day. The lady had a little sore on ner lett hand, and two or three weeks ago pricked the sore purpose'y with the point of a pin. Soon afe rward the sore became still more it fi med; the hand began to swell, then the : w lling entered the arm, and finally extended to the shou'der and body. Mrs. Weber is a stout, large wemun, and had been the very picture of health. The attending physician at one time contemplated smoutation of the arm, but desisted. Mis. Weber was in a freble concision last evening, and was not expected to hive through the night. - Pittsburg Post

SETTLEMENT OF A LONG DISPUTE .- Physiciats have at less come to the conclusion that the best medicine for teetbing children is Dr. Bull's Baby Syrup.

TO THE PUBLIC!—Notwichstanding the strong presure for "cheaper" goods to which most manufacturers have yielded by lowering both quality and price, I have maintained the highest s andard of our product while reducing bers and others desiring to attend will be carried prices by every legitimate means. The people down by the steamer W. W. Core ran at half from necessity, and the country's improvement is evidenced by the growing demand for better goods. For the spring of 1879 I have prepared one of the choicest stocks of Stylish Clothing I ever produced, and my prices are as low as the cost of labor and material will permit. Terms S. KATZENSTEIN, cash

310 7th street, Washington, D. C., Near Pennsylvania Avenue.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING .- A meeting of the stockholders of the ALEXAN-DRIA AND FAIRFAX AGRICULTURAL AND INCUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION will be held at the Commercial Exchange on MONDAY, May 5th, at 9.30 a. m., to adopt a set of by-laws my1-2t Becretary.

OLIVER'S PATENT RATTRAPS, a fi at The price is low in comparison with other patent traps. Call and see at 88 King et., cor. Royal. ap 29 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

WALL SORAPERS, Russia Bristle Brushes, and cheap Glue for whitewashers, for sale cheap at 83 King street, corner of Royal, by ap 29 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

GUM PACKING just received at 88 King street, corner of Royal, and for sale at a small advance. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

ap 29 POLE TREE PRUNERS, Gardon Plows, Trowels and Weeding Hooks, with other Gardan Tools, for sale at low prices by ap 2)

J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

JOINTED FISHING RODS, LINES and HOOKS just recived at 88 King at, corner of Royal, and for sale cheap. J. T. CHEIGHTON & SON. sp 18 PRUNING SAWS and SHEARS, SHEEP

SHEARS and other seasonable goods for sale at low prices at 88 King at, corner of Royal. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. FOOD FOR CHILDREN and INVALIDS.
Desicated Out Meal and Hubbell's Propared Wheat.

L. STABLER & CO. ap 21 HUNT'S INSECT POWDER and Lyon's

L. STABLER & CO. up 21 CECQUET SETS AND CHILDREN'S A full line at prices to suit the times at

C. C. BERRY'S. ap 23 KENIG'S HAMBURGER DROPS, For-rest's Juniper Tar and Boschee's German Syrup for sale by L. STABLER & CO.

BLACK PEAS. AGRICULTURAL BLACK PEAS for

THOS. PERRY, Agent BD 21 50 DOZEN THREE LB CAN TOMA TOES, of best quality, received this day and for sale at 10c a can by ap 10 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st.

SMALL SUGAR CURED SHOULDERS J. C. MILBUEN. mh 6 56 DOZ THREE LB CAN TOMATOES received to-day and for ale at 10 cts per [feb 11] J. U MILBURN.

SMALL SUGAR CURED HAMS, Mary-land brand, just received by ap 14 J. C. MILBURN. ap 14 BBL PRIME TURKI-H PRUNKS received to day and for sale by J. C MILBURN.

WHEAT BRAN and all kinds of MILL FEED in store and for sale by HARMON & SMITH. PICKLES-Pickled Cucumbers, Bunker Hill Chow Chow and Mixed Pickles for sale by ap 17 J. C. MILBURN.

PARM BELLS for sale by JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS', 63 King street. mh 13 10 DOZ THREE POUND CAN TONA-TOES received to day by J. C. MILBURN.

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Affairs in Russia. COLOGNE, May 1.-The Cologne Gizitte's

St. Petereburg letter dated April 22, sags: A universal feeling of gloom prevails. One The Senate resumed the consideration of the | feels he must be prepared for the worst. Rigorbill to prevent the introduction of emtagious or ous police regulations already in force respecting the watching of houses, visits and tearches at night, are to be rendered still more stringent. After pine c'o'ock in the evening acbody will be at liberty to show himself in the street with out a certificate upon which must be written and attested the place from which the bearer comes, and to which he is soing. If this ordinance, which was planned by Gen. Gourko, the Gov ernor General, is promulgated then we shall have nothing to do but quietly equat down in our chambers in the evening, for how are we to get such a certificate and attestation after that hour? Scon it will not be necessary to light a candle before 91 c'clock and yet at 9 every one must be indoors, and after ten o'clock, just as in the barracks, every light must be put out. The measures are certainly stringent, but at the same time the instearity at St. Petersburg is daily on the increase. Every day we hear of grenades exploded in the street. Happily there have not been serious consequences. For the present the intention of the utilists is believed to be to keep the police in a state of constant excitement, and at last tire them out or lull them to sleep with the idea that the danger has been exaggerated. They also reck on on barsh measures and arrests preducing discontent among many people who, when the time comes for the grand attack on the govern ment would join the revolutionists. In the night between Friday and Saturday seditious placards were found stuck up in the vicinity of the theatres and at the corners of the busiest bils, and in this one night the police arrested upwards of 150 persons. Among all those taken the police failed to find in a single case as much as a re:sp of paper which appeared to have anything to do with the proclamation .-The secret bill sticker on the other hand went on with his work indefatigably and the police could not succeed in discovering him. The alarm at last became so great that two compapies under command of Col. DeBerg marched our and were posted at the entraces to a nua. ber of houses and in the street, but when the guard had its attention called to the right bills were posted up on the left and after they had been torn down on the left there on the right again appeared the man tistoes of the men of the revolution. Since the attempt on the life of the Czir troops have been held in readinees day and night. In every regiment two companies in marching order, equipped with hall, cartridge and all accessories requisite for scrivs operations are kept constantly under arms. Batteries stand ready bersed and mounted in the barrack yards .-A squadron of every cavalry regiment stands in constant readiness to mount, and day and night divisions of Cossaeks patrol the streets. On the 16 h a present was arrested in whose peckers were found dispositions for revolutionary troops. According to this document active operations were to commence on the night beween the 16 h and 17th. Instantly the goreroment made the most extensive preparations for defence. The Grand Duke Nicholas took up his quarters, with his entire steff in the offices of the general staff, opposite to the win ter palace. In the riding school of the guards the regiment of Hussars of the guards was quarted, while the barreks of the Paoloff and Preobrij beki regimeets were crammed full of troops and the whole artillery of the guards received orders to hell itself in readiness for immediate action. The troops continued sever al days and nights in the places assigned them, but the revolution did not break out. Probably the whole story of an intended outbreak, was an intentional mystilication.

For New York custom made CLOTHING. warranted not to rib, see S. DEALHAM, 62 King st., corner of Fairlax.

OFFICIAL.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN. At a called meeting of the Board of Aldermen heid April 30, 1879, there were present: E. E. Downham, erq., President, and Messrs. Moore, Marbury, Straus, Risheill, Smith and Reid.
An act to accept and ratify an act of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved February 27, 1879, and to authorize the preparation acissue of bonds and certificates for arrears of inrecommended by the Board of Directors. A full stene of bonds and certificates for arrears of in-attendance is desired. By order of the Board of terest in accordance with the terms thereof, was Directors.

J. T. BECKHAM, received from the Common Council and as received from the Common Council and as amended by them was passed by the following vote: Ayes, Messra. Moore, Marbury, Etrauss, Richeill, Smith, Reid and Mr. President—7.

Noes, none, A resolution of instructions to the Mayor and Auditor in regard to a correspondence with the creditors of the city was received from the Com-mon Council and their action concurred in. The Board then adjourned.
Teste: JNO. J. JAMIESON, Clerk.

CO.M.MERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, May 1 .- Flour is quiet and easy. Wheat is firm, with sales at 107, 110, 112 and 113, as to quality. The receip's of Corn have increased, and to day the offerings amounted to 2428 bushels, which sold at 48. There were no Oats reported, and 105 bushels of Rye sold at 65 and 67. Country produce is quiet and nachanged.

BALTIMORE, May 1 .- Virginia 6s deferred 78 do consendated 5t2; do 2d series 40; past due coupons 814. Sugar steady; A soft 8381 Cetton firm; midding 117 Flour very firm at yesterday's quotations. Wheat-Southern firm and higher; Western firm; Southern red 1094 113; do suber 114415; No 2 Penna red 1144a 1144; No 2 Western winter red spot and May 1123-1174; June 11241124; July 119-110. Corn steady; Southern white 45; do yellow 474:43; Western mixed and and May 43-42; June 422 s412; July 4344434; steamer 40:404 adig; July 4324323; stramor 40340; Oats firm; Southern 31:87; Western white 33235; do mixed 32-33; Penna 33:35. Rye unchanged. Hay sterfy; prime to choice Penna and Maryland 12:\$14 Coffee dull and unchanged. Whiskey unchanged.

New York, May 1.—Stocks weat. Money 3:4. Flour quiet. Wheat-spring duil; winter active. Corn socier.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, MAY 1, 1879. Sun rises 5 5 | Sun sets

ABSIVED. Str Peter Cooper, Washington, to J P Agnew & Co. Schr Ben Shepherd, Philadelphia, to Wm A Schr Murray Vandiver, Washington, to Wm

A Moore. CLEARED. Str J W Thompson, lower Pric, by F A Reed. ttr Mattsno, lower Pric, by J Broders & Co. Str Poter Cooper, Nortolk, by J P Agnew

Schr Earl P Mason, Providence, by J P Ag-Schr Wm Donnelly, Petersburg, by J P Ag-

Schr Mary Riley, Georgetown, by master. PASSED UP. Schra Kapress and John May, Philadelphia,

for Washington.
Schr Fannie Lawrence, do, for Georgetown. PASSED DOWN. Sehr F H Udlorne, Artie Garwood and Trade Wind, all from Georgetown.

MEMORARDA Schr T J Menin cleared from Windsor for this port 25th ulte. Behr Carrie Hart, Georgetowo, at Fall River 28th ulte. cchr J E Sanford, Boston for Georgetowe, at

Hyannis 29th uito. 300 POUNDS OF CHOICE VIRGIN Coffees at by [mb26] W. A. JOHNSON & CO. by [mb26]

THE BLESSING OF STRONG NERVES IS recoverable, not by the use of mineral sedstire; but by a recourse to effectual tonic treatment. Opiates and the like should only be used as auxiliaries, and then as sparingly as pes itle. Vig-orous nerves are quiet ones, and the most direct way to render them so is to reinforce the vital energies. That sterling invigorant, Hostster's Stomach Betters, will be found all sufficient for this purpose, since it entirely removes impediments to thorough digestion and assimilation of the ford, so that the body is insured its due amount of nourishment, and consequently of stamina. Rheumatic tandencies and affections of the kidneys and bladder are also counteracted by the Bitters, which is besides a pleasant medicinal stimulant, infinitely purer than the raw excitants of commerce, which react injuriously upon the nervous system.

VARIOUS CAUSES-Advancing years care, sickness, disappointment, and hereditary predisposition—all operate to turn the hair gray, and either of thom inclines it to shed premature ly. AYER'S HAIR VIGOR will restore faded or gray, light and red heir to a rich brown or deep black, as may be desired. It softens and cleanses the scalp, giving it a healthy action, and re-moves and cures dandruff and humors. By its use falling hair is checked, and a new growth will be produced in all cases where the follicles are not destroyed or glands decayed. Its effects are beautifully shown on brashy, weak or sickly hair, to which a few applications will produce the gloss and freshness of youth. Harmless and sure in its operation, it is incomparable as a dressing, and is especially valued for the soft lustre and richness of tone it imparts. It contains neither oil nor dye, and will not soil or color white cambrie; yet it lasts long on the hair and keeps it fresh and vigorous. E. S. Leadbester & Bro.

Opening and Closing of the Mails.

CLOSINO. Washington, D. C., North and Northeastern mails 12 m. and 8 30 p. m. Western mails 4 30 and 5 30 p. m

Southern mails, via Richmond, Va., 600 a.m. and 600 and 900 p in. m. and 5 W and 9 W p in.

South and Southwestern mails, via Lynchburg, Virginia, 6 00 a.m. and 9 p. m.

Alexandria to Lynchburz, Vu, (way mails) including through mails, 6 00 a.m. and 9 00 p m

Gordonsville and Charlottesville, Vs., 6 00 a.

m. and 9 00 p. m. Manassas Division 6 00 a. m. Alexandria to Round Hill, Vz., 8 00 s. m.

OPENING. Northern and Western mails, via Washington, D. C., 830 a.m. and 200 and 600 p. m. Southern mails, via Richmond, Va, 830 a.tu. and 1 00 p. m. Southwestern mails via Lynchburg, Virginia.

through mails) including way mails on Midland Kailroad, 8 30 a m. Manassas Division 8 30 a. m. Round Hill to Alexandria, Va 3 30 p. m. Office Hours-Office opens at 8 30 a m., and closes at 7 00 p. in. Sunday Hours-Office opens at 8 45 a. m., and

HARDWARE FOR THE SPRING OF At 88 King street, corner of Royal

closes at 9 30 a. m.

The subscribers are now receiving a full sup-ply of goods in their line of business, which are adspied to the present season.

Our stock has been excefully relected, purchased at lowest prices, and will be sold at whole.

sale and retail at a small advance.

We do not deem it important to spacify the quantity or to enumerate the variety of goods received, but invite all purchasers to call and see for themselves. A trial is all we ask.

mb 25 J. T. CKEIGHFON & SON.

CHILDREN'S CARRIAGES! We have in store a nice lot of Children's Carriages of the latest styles, which we are selling at prices to suit the times. Persons in want of them would do well to call and examine before purchasing disewhere.

McLEAN & UHLEB,
THE King street

76 King street, REATHER DUSTERS! FEATHER DUSTERS! We have just received a fine lot of Turkey Feather Dusters. In finish and style they equal

the Osrich Dusters, and in price are much cheaper. Call and examine.

McLEAN & UHLEE, mh 6 FOR SALE.

500 POUNDS OLD NEWSPAPERS

AT THIS OFFICE.

HOLDEN'S BOOK ON BIRDS—We have just received the above useful book, which is invaluable to persons raising birds or to those who have birds of any kind. It gives the best advice and directions for the treatment of birds. Price 25c. McLEAN & UHLEE, 76 King street.

DATENTICE CREAM FREEZERS-Wo have just received an invoice of the GOOOH PATENT IUE CREAM FREEZ-ERS, acknowledged to be best Usli and examine at McLEAN & UHLER'S, 76 King street.

30 BARRELS WENGER'S FAMILY on Mills Family, and a full stock of high grade Extra Flour for sale at lowest rates by dec 2 F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King at

NOTICE-WE WILL AT ALL TIMES A SELL GROCERIES AS CHEAP, AND MANY OF THEM CHEAPER, THAN ANY PRICE LIST ADVERTISED. A compariso of price solicited. F. J. DAVIDSON. of prices solicited.

JUST RECEIVED-Choice NORWOOD CREAMERY BUTTER, in 9 lb buckets, OHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr., No. 11 north Union st.

THE CELEBRATED CYCLONE SEGAR. guaranteed genuing Havana tobacco, both wrapper and filler. Four for 25 cents; \$5 per JANNEY & CU. Druggists, 79 & 145 King st. TOILETSOAPS-Mammoth Rosa Windsor

A Elder Flower, Turtle Cil, Primroze, Thousand Flowers, Oat Meal, Brown Eath and other fine Toilet Sospajust received by ap 22 J. C. MILBURN. SARVEN PATENT WHEELS—We would call the attention of all who want a good durable article to these wheels. Call and examine them at JAS. F. CARLIN & SUNS.

68 King street CROQUET! CROQUET! CRUQUETI above sets at prices to sait most any one.

McLEAN & UHLLE,

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76 King street.

HOLLOW WARE, Ovens, Pots, Spiders and Lids, a large secontment received today and for sale by JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS.

68 King atrect. NEW PRUNES, Currants, Baisins, Lemons, P Sardines, Maccaroni, French Mustards, Jellies, Gelatine and Chocolate, received and for

F. J. DAVIDSON, 147 King st. 2000 LBS OIL CAKE MEAL, fresh invoice, just received per Clyde's tesmera

HARMON & SMITE. feb 12 OLOBED STRAWS, suitable for making fancy frames, wall pockets, &c.; also Julep Straws, at McLEAN & UHLER'S, 76 King street. mh 22 SHIMMELL'S BEST PRESERVES and JELLIES for sale at reduced prices until

the 25th instant by J. C. MILBURN. 50 BBLS COOL ALLEY NEW PRO-

for sale by CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr. mb 21 HHD. CHOICE NEW ORLEANS SU-HHD. CHOICE FEW Canaly, and for GAR received this day (Mar. 7th), and for sale cheap by E. W. AVERY, 225 King St.

SHOVELS, SPADES, RAKES, HORS and other GARDEN TOOLS for sale cheap at 88 King at, corner of Royal. Call and see.

By 11 J. T. Chelgeton & SON. RIO COFFEE-We are selling a good Rio Coffee at 12to per 1b; also a full line of Coffees at very low figures.

mb 20 HARMON & SMITH

CANDIDATES.

[All announcements must invariably be paid for in advance. No notice will be taken of orders unless they are accompanied with the cash.]

TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY.

I respectfully announce myself a candidate for re-election to the office of Collector of the Northern District, subject to the decision of the conservative primary election.

sp 29-tpe JNO. T. HILL.

ap 29-tpe JACOB ROXBURY respectfully announces himself a cardidate for re-election to the office of Superintendent of Gas-subject to the decision of the primary election. ap 29-tpe TO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA

CITY—I respectfully announce myself as a the Northern District, subject to the action of the Conservative primary election.

Ep 27-tpe WESLEY AVERY. THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA CITY-I respectfully announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Mayor,

subject to the decision of the primary election, sp 26-tpe K. KEMPER. T RESPECTFULLY announce myself a candidate for the office of Collector of Taxes for the Northern District, subject to the action of

the conservative primary election. COURTLAND H. SMITH. THO THE VOTERS OF ALEXANDRIA-

OUNTY CLERKSHIP—Please announce GRORGE OTT WUNDER as a candidate for Clerk of the Circuit and County Courts of

By Green & Wise, (Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.)

YVIRTUE of a decree of the Corporation

Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., pronounced at its April term, 1879, in the chancery
cause of Cazanove's ex'rs. vs. Page's adm'r., and others, the undersigned, commissioners therein named, will offer for sale by public auc-tion, in front of the entrance to the Court room, on Fairfax street, in said city, at 12 o'clock m., on SATURDAY, the 17th day of May, 1879, the following property to wit: ONE UNDIVIDED HALF INTEREST in and to a certain LOT OF GROUND in the city of Alexandria, Va., with a BRICK HOUSE thereon, situated on the east side of St. Asaph street, between Prince and Duke streets, beginning 60 feet from the corner of Duke and at. Asaph streets; thence running east 28 feet; thence north parallel with St. Asaph street 5) feet to a ten feet alley: thence with said alley 18 feet to St. Asaph street; thence south

with interest from day of sale; the purchaser to red payments, and the title to be retained until the same are paid.

ALBERT STUART, GEO. A. MUSHBACH, Comm'rs of Sale. 6:17-w4w Comm'rs of Sale.

SALE OF VALUABLE AND PRODUCT.

1VE REAL ESTATE IN FAIRFAX
COUNTY, WITHIN A HALF A MILE OF
MT. VERNON. Persuant to the decree of the
Circuit Court of Fairfax County, entered at its
Juno term, 1870, in the suit of McCaurey va.
Mc Williams, the undersigned, special commisstoper named in said decree, will, on MONDAY,
(court day), the 19th day of May, 1879, sell to
the highest bidder in front of the door of the
Court House of said county, at 12 o'clock m., of
said day, all those TWO TRACTS OR PARCELS OF LAND at present occupied by Henry
Mc Williams, containing respectfully 471 20-100 McWilliams, containing respectfully 471 20-160 and 174 37-100 acres. These lots constitute one of the most valuable farms in the county of Fairfax, lying as they do, contiguous, immediately on the Mt. Vernon road leading from Alexandria, and on the Accotink Pike, within a half mile of Mt. Vernon, as owned by the "Ladies' Association," in one of the most fertile regions of the county, and in a neighborhood of thrift. rapid improvement and market facilities. constitute the improved part of the estate known as "MT. ZEPHYE," owned by the late Aaron Leggett. To those desiring to invest in good land, yielding an interest on the outlay, within

and expenses of sale and the sum of \$1883 46. by the notes of the purchaser, with good personal security : the title to be retained until the last payment is made. If this land is not sold on the day named, it will then be for sale privately and in such parcels as may seem advantageous.
THOMAS MOORE,

COMMISSIONERS SALE OF REAL ESTATE NEAR SPRING VALE, in Fairfax county—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at November term, 1876, in the suit of Swink vs. Swink, the undersigned, special commissioners, named in said decree, will, on MONDAY, the 21st day of April, 1879, (Court day) at 1 p. m., sell to the highest bidder, by public sale, in front of the door of the Court House of said county, all the REAL ESTATE of which the late Te Swink died seined, (not resigned to his widow as dower) containing about 2734 acres. This land will be sold in two parcels, the quantity in each to be announced on the day of sale. This land adjoins the lands of John Turner, Carroll, Mills and others. Persons desiring to purchase are invited to inspect the premise. Mr. John F. Swink, living near, will take pleasure in show-

ing the property.
Terms of Sale: One fourth cash, and the residue in three equal annual payments, to bear in-terest from the day of sale, to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with personal security, and the title to be retained until the last pay-J. M. LOVE ment is made

THOMAS MOORE, mh 22-wiw Comm'rs, of Sale. DAY, the 19th day of May, 1579, when thesame

THOS. MOORE. NOTICE.

To the Conservative Voters of the city of Alex andria, Va.: Fellow Citizens -- At a meeting of the Execu-

tive Committee of the Conservative party, held April 21, 1879, it was resolved to have a primary election on Monday, May 12, 1879, for the nominstion of city officers, and that the polls be opened at sun rise and closed at sunset of that

That the ward meetings for the nomination from each ward of one Alderman, four Councilmen, one Councilman to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of A. Schofield, one Magistrate and one Constable, be held on Mon-

That a meeting of the candidates be called for assessment for defraying the expenses of the campaign as a pro-requisite to having his name placed upon the ticket prepared by the committee. HUGH LATHAM, Chairman.

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J. M. LOVE,

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